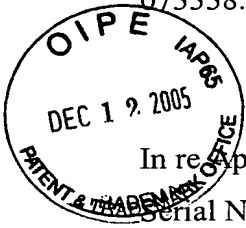


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Please advise the status of the above-identified patent application. Applicants filed a Request for Status with the PTO on May 23, 2005. To date, Applicants have not received any communication on the merits. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request notice of when the first Office Action on the merits will be issued.

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